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REF: (A) TOKYO 9307, (B) STATE 148919

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF LTR DATED APRIL 26, 1978,
FROM MICHEL PECQUEUR, CEA, TO BLOOM, AMEMBASSY TOKYO,
IN FORM OF UNOFFICIAL ENGLISH TRANSLATION PROVIDED BY
FRENCH EMBASSY:

2. BEGIN TEXT. REFERRING TO THE DRAFT AGREED MINUTES
OF THE MEETINGS HELD IN TOKYO BETWEEN FEBRUARY 27TH AND
MARCH 2D (THE TEXT OF WHICH IS HERE ATTACHED), I CONFIRM
THE COMMISSARIAT A L'ENERGIE ATOMIQUE'S AGREEMENT ON
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THESE MINUTES, AND ON THE PRELIMINARY DESCRIPTION OF
PROGRAM WHICH IS ATTACHED TO THEM, BEING UNDERSTOOD
THAT MUTUALLY AGREED CHANGES CAN LATER BE MADE TO THIS
PROGRAM, ACCORDING TO THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 3 OF THE
AGREED MINUTES.

WE WISH TO RECALL IN THIS OCCASION THAT WE NOTED DOWN,

DURING THE TOKYO DISCUSSIONS, THE ASSURANCES GIVEN BY THE HEAD OF THE U.S. DELEGATION, THAT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF POINT F OF THE PROGRAM WOULD NOT LEAD TO ANY REQUEST FOR ACCESS TO PROPRIETARY INFORMATION RELATED TO THE DESIGN OR OPERATION OF THE TOKAI MURA PLANT.

I ALSO WISH TO DRAW YOUR ATTENTION ON THE MODIFICATION OF MINOR DRAFTING ERRORS, WHICH WE MADE IN THE TEXT ENTITLED "PRELIMINARY DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM" AND WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING:

-POINT C, 3RD SENTENCE: REPLACE THE WORD FRANCE WITH THE WORDS "THE FRENCH CEA";

-POINT E: REPLACE M. DEAN WITH M. REGNIER AS FRENCH CONTACT;

-POINTS F AND I: ADDING M. DEAN AS FRENCH CONTACT;

-POINT L: REPLACE M. HURE WITH M. PATIGNY;

-POINTS L AND M: REPLACE THE WORDS "PRINCIPAL CONTACT" WITH "PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR" TO DESIGNATE THE FRENCH CORRESPONDENT.

THE SENIOR TECHNICAL REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE C.E.A., FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS PROGRAM WILL BE M. GUILLEMARD, NUCLEAR ATTACHE IN THE FRENCH EMBASSY IN TOKYO.

I AM PARTICULARLY HAPPY FOR THE COOPERATION INITIATED IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THIS PROGRAM, AND I WISH TO ASSURE
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YOU THAT THE C.E.A. WILL MAKE ITS BEST EFFORTS FOR THE BEST POSSIBLE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS PROGRAM. END TEXT.

3. PARA 2 REFTTEL A REQUESTED DISPOSITION INSTRUCTIONS FOR LETTER. NONE WERE RECEIVED. THEREFORE WE ASSUMED THAT WASHINGTON ALREADY HAD RECEIVED TEXT FROM ANOTHER SOURCE AND WE DID NOT DISPATCH IT. IN EMBASSY OPINION, AS STATED PREVIOUSLY, CHANGES PROPOSED IN PARA 2 ABOVE ARE OF ADMINISTRATIVE NATURE ONLY. THEREFORE WE REQUEST EARLY (ASAP) AUTHORIZATION TO NOTIFY B. GUILLEMARD OF FRENCH EMBASSY TOKYO OF USG ACCEPTANCE OF CHANGES AND WELCOMING CEA PARTICIPATION IN TASTEX PROGRAM.
FYI: GOJ ALREADY HAS NOTIFIED CEA THAT IT ACCEPTS PROPOSED CHANGES.

4. WHEN SCICOUNS CALLED KURIHARA ABOUT PARA 2 REFTTEL B, HE RESPONDED THAT NEITHER GOJ NOR PNC HAD THOUGHT ABOUT FRENCH PARTICIPATION IN JUNE 16-24 MEETING. MATTER WAS BROUGHT TO HIS ATTENTION BY GUILLEMARD ON JUNE 12, IMMEDIATELY AFTER GUILLEMARD TALKED TO SCICOUNS. KURIHARA COULD SEE NO REASON IN PRINCIPLE WHY CEA SHOULD NOT BE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE BUT HE SAID THAT IT

WOULD BE NECESSARY TO CHECK WITH PNC BEFORE ISSUING INVITATION.

5. SCICOUNS ALSO ASKED KURIHARA ABOUT POSSIBLE IAEA PARTICIPATION IN MEETING. AGAIN, THIS HAD NOT BEEN CONSIDERED BY GOJ OR PNC, BUT NO OBJECTION IN PRINCIPLE WAS SEEN. KURIHARA HAS NOT YET SENT LETTER OF INVITATION TO IAEA COVERING LATTER'S PARTICIPATION IN TASTEX, PURELY BECAUSE OF BUREAUCRATIC DELAY IN OBTAINING CLEARANCES. HE SAYS THAT LETTER WILL GO OUT SOON.
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